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Viewing cable 08ATHENS647, GREECE SHARES NATO INTEROPERABILITY CONCERNS ON

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Understanding cables

Every cable message consists of three parts:

- The top box shows each cables unique reference number, when and by whom it originally was sent, and what its initial classification was.
- The middle box contains the header information that is associated with the cable. It includes information about the receiver(s) as well as a general subject.
- The bottom box presents the body of the cable. The opening can contain a more specific subject, references to other cables ([browse by origin](#) to find them) or additional comment. This is followed by the main contents of the cable: a summary, a collection of specific topics and a comment section.

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Discussing cables

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Reference ID	Created	Released	Classification	Origin
08ATHENS647	2008-05-13 12:39	2011-08-30 01:44	CONFIDENTIAL	Embassy Athens

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RUEHDL/AMEMBASSY DUBLIN PRIORITY 0060
RUEHNY/AMEMBASSY OSLO PRIORITY 0212
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RUEKJCS/SECDEF WASHINGTON DC PRIORITY
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RUCNDT/USMISSION USUN NEW YORK PRIORITY 0320

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SUBJECT: GREECE SHARES NATO INTEROPERABILITY CONCERNS ON
CLUSTER MUNITIONS IN OSLO PROCESS

REF: A. SECSTATE 48124

Classified By: Acting Political Counselor Jeff Hovenier for reasons 1.4
(b) and (d).

11. Poloff delivered reftel A points to Andreas Kintis from the D2 Directorate for NATO and the Western European Union (WEU). Kintis expressed appreciation for the background and Washington's acknowledgment of Greece's position to refrain from the Oslo Process based on concerns stemming from cluster munitions. He said he would also share the points with Ambassador Rallis, Director for the D1 Directorate for the UN and International Organizations.
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